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In compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97, et seq., the enclosed materials are brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the aboveidentified Application. Applicant respectfully requests that this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the references listed on the attached Form 1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Pursuant to MPEP §609, Applicant further requests that the Examiner initial next to each reference on the Form 1449 to indicate that the listed references have been considered. Applicant further requests that a copy of the initialed Form 1449 be returned with the next official communication.

Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3), it is believed that no fee or certificate is required with this Information Disclosure Statement. However, if an Office Action on the merits has been mailed, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees deemed necessary or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 501373.

The Examiner is invited to contact the Applicant's Representative at the belowlisted telephone number if there are any questions regarding this communication.

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The following documents are enclosed:

- X A Fourth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (1 pg.);
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- X Copies of 11 documents;
- X Communication Re: Co-pending and/or Related Applications; Copies of Specifications and Drawings of Copending and/or Related Applications; and
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COMMUNICATION RE: CO-PENDING AND/OR RELATED APPLICATIONS

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In compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97, *et seq.* and MPEP §2001.06(b), Applicant respectfully draws the Examiner's attention to the following co-pending and/or related applications:

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A copy of the specification and drawings of each of the co-pending and/or related applications is enclosed for the Examiner's review. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees deemed necessary or credit any overpayment to Account No. 501373.

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